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Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation State of Louisiana Post Office Box 94275 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

Re: HEARING APPLICATION

Haynesville Sand, Reservoir A

East Dykesville Field

Claiborne Parish, Louisiana Our File No. 420409.0022

Dear Sir:

On behalf of TENSAS DELTA EXPLORATION COMPANY, LLC, application is hereby made for a public hearing to receive evidence concerning the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Haynesville Sand, Reservoir A, in the East Dykesville Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana:

- 1. To create one (1) additional drilling and production unit (to be designated as HA RA SUC), as shown on the plat attached hereto, for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Haynesville Sand, Reservoir A, in the East Dykesville Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana;
- 2. To force pool and unitize all separately owned tracts, mineral leases, and other property interests within the proposed unit, with allocation of production from the unit well to the tracts within the unit to be on the basis of surface acreage.
- 3. To designate Tensas Delta Exploration Company, LLC as the operator of HA RA SUC to be created hereby.
- 4. To designate the Tensas Delta Exploration Company, LLC Crowder No.1 Well as the unit well for the proposed HA RA SUC, in exception to the well spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 882-G-1, effective January 15, 1991.

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5. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

The Haynesville Sand, Reservoir A, in the East Dykesville Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 882-G-1, effective January 15, 1991 and was further defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 882-G-2, effective July 26, 1994.

By Pre-Application Notice dated January 19, 2006, applicant advised the Commissioner of Conservation, the District Manager and all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties of applicant's intention to apply for the hearing which is the subject of this application. Applicant received no request for a Pre-Application Conference, and accordingly, no conference will be held.

Pertinent data concerning the intended application will be made available for inspection at the offices of the undersigned. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call the undersigned at (318) 221-6858 during normal business hours or write the undersigned at the above address in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data can be obtained at the expense of the requesting party.

A list of the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties (as defined in the Rules of Procedure) is attached hereto, and a copy of this notice, with the annexed plat, is being sent to each of such persons. A reasonable effort has been made to determine that the enclosed list includes all of the persons to whom this notice must be sent under the Rules of Procedure.

A check in the amount of \$755.00 made payable to the Commissioner of Conservation is enclosed herewith as the statutory fee for holding the requested hearing.

This application is being filed in duplicate, and a copy hereof is being sent to Mr. James C. Broussard, Shreveport District Manager of the Office of Conservation, and to each Interested Owner, Represented Party and Interested Party whose name is shown on the attached list.

Very truly yours,

BLANCHARD, WALKER, O'QUIN & ROBERTS

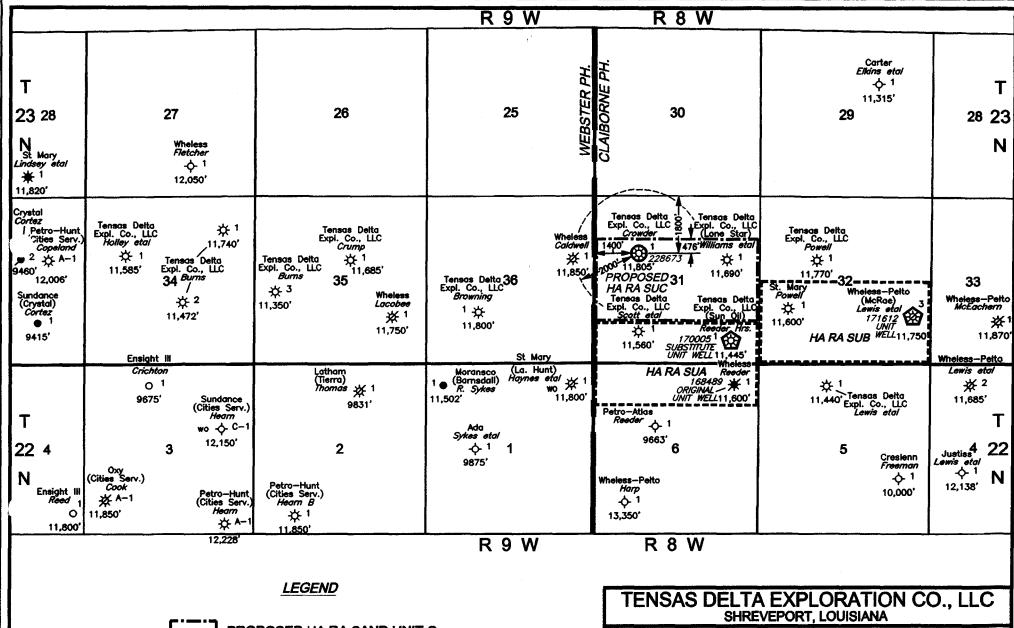
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Wm. Timothy Allen III

Attorneys for Tensas Delta Exploration Company, LLC

cc: Mr. James C. Broussard, Shreveport District Manager,

Office of Conservation (w/enclosures)
Interested Owners, Represented Parties
and Interested Parties (w/copy of plat only)



PROPOSED HA RA SAND UNIT C

EXISTING HA RA SAND UNITS A & B

EXISTING HA RA WELLS

PROPOSED HA RA SUC UNIT WELL

EAST DYKESVILLE FIELD CLAIBORNE PARISH, LOUISIANA

UNIT PLAT PROPOSED HA RA SUC

0 2000' 4000' 1 Mile